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City to Televis 2006 Mayoral Candidate Forum

Cable Channel 26 to Carry February 6 Event Live

Event: The City of San José will broadcast a 2006 Mayoral Candidate Forum live on CivicCenter TV, Cable Channel 26 in San José. In addition, the forum will be streamed online at www.sanjoseca.gov/civiccentertv. The Forum will also be re-broadcast later in the week on Cable Channel 26.

When: **Live broadcast will take place 6:00 – 7:30 p.m., Monday, February 6, 2006.** The City will re-broadcast the event on CivicCenter Television at 10 a.m. Tuesday, February 7 and approximately 7 p.m. on Wednesday, February 8, following the State of the City address.

Where: The forum will take place in the City Council Chambers at San José City Hall, 200 East Santa Clara Street, San José. Attendees are encouraged to park in the City Hall parking facility, accessible via Sixth Street. Parking validation will be provided.

Background: This forum is sponsored by HARA-Hispanic Association of Realtors and Affiliates, The Commonwealth Club of California, the League of Women Voters and the Latina Coalition Silicon Valley.

Panelists Mariel Caballero of the Latina Coalition Silicon Valley, Dr. Gloria Duffy of The Commonwealth Club of California, Trixie Johnson of The League of Women Voters and Joe Muñoz of the Hispanic Association of Realtors and Affiliates will question San José Mayoral Candidates Cindy Chavez, Dave Cortese, J. Manuel Herrera, Michael Mulcahy and Chuck Reed. Roberta Gonzales of KPIX-TV5 will serve as moderator.

More Information: For more information about the forum, please contact HARA PAC Chair Joe Muñoz at (408) 833-8505 or Alex Flores at (408) 221-7089.

For questions about the City's broadcast of the event, contact City of San José Video Communications Manager Ross Braver at (408) 535-8164.

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